

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor : Philippe Guillotel
Application No. : 10/539,431
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Title : Device and Process for Adjusting the Bit Rate of a
Stream of Contents and Associated Products
Examiner : Waseem Ashraf
Art Unit : 2455

Response to Requirement for Election/Restriction

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

In response to the Requirement for Election/Restriction issued on December 2, 2009 for which a response ending January 2, 2010 is set to respond, the following remarks are presented for consideration.

As due date for responding to this Restriction Requirement fell on a Saturday, the due date is automatically extended to the next business day, January 4, 2010. Therefore, in view of the electronic filing of this response, Applicant respectfully submits that this response is timely filed.

No fee is believed due with this response. However, should a fee be due, please charge that fee to Deposit Account No. 07-0832.

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